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SUBJECT: FOREIGN TRAVEL BY NORTH KOREAN OFFICIALS

REF: A) SEOUL 3450 (NOTAL); B) KINSHASA 3794 (NOTAL); C) KINSHASA 3982 (NOTAL)

- 1. SUMMARY: SOUTH KOREAN COUNSELOR OF EMBASSY PARK HAS SUPPLIED US WITH A LIST OF THE NORTH KOREAN DELEGATION, HEADED BY DPRK SECOND VICE PRESIDENT KANG YANG-OUK, WHICH IS TO TOUR AFRICA IN MAY (PARA 2 REFTEL A). ACCORDING TO PARK, THE DPRK DELEGATION IS SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE IN ZAIRE MAY 15 COMING FROM LAGOS. END SUMMARY.
- 2. THE FOLLOWING IS THE LIST OF THE FORTHCOMING DPRK DELEGATION AS PROVIDED BY COUNSELOR PARK:

KANG RYANG OUK, VICE PRESIDENT OF PDRK
KIM II DAI, PRESIDENT OF THE EDUCATION COMMITTEE
KIM HYEUNG RYOUL, VICE MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
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GAI DJANG HAN, VICE MINISTER OF FOREIGN ECONOMIC AFFAIRS
RYU IN GWAN, DIRECTOR IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN COMMERCE
NAM KI PYO, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
KYEUNG DJOUN SOU, DIVISION CHIEF IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
TCHOE GAI RYONG, CIVIL SERVANT IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
MA EUNG II, CIVIL SERVANT IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
WI DJEUNG DO, CIVIL SERVANT IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

TCHOE HO/IK, CIVIL SERVANT IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
PAK DEUK FOUN, CIVIL SERVANT IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
MOUN JONG RYEUL, CIVIL SERVANT IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN ECONOMIC
AFFAIRS

DJANG HYEUN KOUK, SECURITY OFFICER

AN THI ROK, DOCTOR

TWENTY CREW MEMBERS OF AIR-KOREA

3. COMMENT: COUNSELOR PARK AGREES WITH THE ANALYSIS CONTAINED IN REFTEL A

THAT THE CURRENT NORTH KOREAN DIPLOMATIC CAMPAIGN IS DESIGNED IN PART

TO INFLUENCE THE NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE MEETINGS AND IN PART TO SLOW DOWN

THE GROWING TREND TOWARD RECOGNITION OF BOTH KOREAS. HE TOO HAD BEEN INFORMED THAT THE DPRK AMBASSADOR DJO GUL II'S APRIL VISIT TO KINSHASA

HAD NOT GONE WELL FROM THE NORTH KOREAN POINT OF VIEW (REFTELS B & C)

ACCORDING TO HIS INFORMATION, ONE OF DJO'S GOALS HAD BEEN TO OBTAIN ZAIRE'S AGREEMENT TO RESUME PAYMENT ON THE 2,695,000 POUND DEBT ZAIRE HAD INCURRED FOR PROCUREMENT OF NORTH KOREAN MILITARY EQUIPMENT. HOWEVER,

THE GOZ HAD REFUSED THIS REQUEST, CLAIMING THAT THE EQUIPMENT HAD RECOME

USELESS WHEN NORTH KOREA REMOVED ITS MILITARY ADVISORS FROM ZAIRE CONFIDENTIAL

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## DURING

THE ANGOLA CIVIL WAR. COUNSELOR PARK NOTED THAT THE DPRK EMBASSY IN KINSHASA HAD BEEN INCREASED BY A COUNSELOR IN FEBRUARY. THE NORTH KOREAN EMBASSY CURRENTLY CONSISTS OF THIS COUNSELOR (WHO IS CHARGE), A THIRD SECRETARY, THE WIFE OF THE THIRD SECRETARY WHO HAS THE TITLE OF ATTACHE, AND TWO ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL. CUTLER

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